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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements filed on February 27, 2004, March 27, 2002 and February 28, 2002, Applicant submits herewith a copy of an Office Action issued in connection with counterpart European Patent Application No. EP 00 93 5503.

Applicants note that the documents cited therein are already of record in the present application, as follows:

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EP 0 456 188

EP 0 838 221

WO 98/28007

Applicant therefore notes that additional copies of these documents are not being submitted herewith.

Applicants are submitting herewith a machine English translation of JP 6-40938, and a Form PTO-1449 listing this document. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the form to the Applicant with the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of this document.

Applicant submits that a fee should not be necessary for consideration if this disclosure statement, because the disclosure statement is providing updated information of information of record. However, if any fee is necessary, authorization is hereby provided to charge any fee necessary for the consideration of this statement, including any payment under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p), to the Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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